

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q76550

Toshiki TAGUCHI

Appln. No.: 10/617,818

Group Art Unit: 1755

Confirmation No.: 5231

Examiner: Veronica F. Faison

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For: INK FOR INKJET RECORDING, INK SET FOR INKJET RECORDING AND INKJET RECORDING METHOD

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of June 4, 2004 to October 4, 2004 .

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 19-4880 in the amount of \$110.00. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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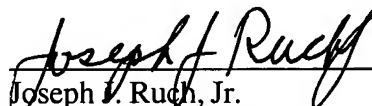
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